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Plans were carried forward for the future deployment of the Hawk missiles being procured from the US under the US-UK air defense program. Although the first of the new Hawk batteries will now be deployed

It is anticipated that within one year about 90 US and other employees of the contractor, the Raytheon Company, will be engaged in installing the Hawks at

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The US-UK draft resolution introduced in the UN Security Council during discussion of the Israeli complaint against Fatah. Fatah's from Syria was roundly condemned by the Saudi press as favoring Israel. The Saudi authorities at first prevented press agitation over the intrusion on October 14 of Zionist teen-agers into the headquarters of the Syrian Permanent UN Delegation in New York. It was only after much delay, and a protest by the Syrian Ambassador, that a statement circulated by the latter's Embassy attributing the incident to Zionist control over the US Government and calling for the removal of UN Headquarters from the United States appeared in the Jidda press, with no accompanying comment. On the other hand, the Saudi Permanent Delegate to the UN supported the Syrian proposal (without instructions from his government) in a non-stop discourse before the UNGA Special Political Committee.

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The outlandish charges of a Saudi-Jordanian-US agreement to overthrow the Syrian regime and make peace with Israel, advanced early in the month by Syrian Major Talal Abu Asali who reached Cairo via Amman and Beirut, were treated somewhat gingerly by Saudi information media.

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Contracts were let and modifications begun on the English Language Teaching Center in Riyadh which is to be operated by USIS for the Ministry of Education. The Saudi Government is paying the entire \$90,000 cost of the modifications and offering the premises to USIS rent-free. Aramco already has ordered and is paying for installation of a modern electronic teaching laboratory to be housed in the building.

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